

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Monday, September 9, 2013 – 0530 MT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Light (87 new fires)  
 New large fires: 4 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: \*\* 13  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

\*\* Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

**Southern California Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 22  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 2  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

**Rim**, Stanislaus NF. IMT 1 (McGowan). Two miles northeast of Buck Meadows, CA. Timber, brush and grass. Active surface fire with isolated torching and spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, road and area closures in effect.

\* **Angora**, Sequoia NF. Twenty miles northeast of Springville, CA. Timber. Short crown runs with spotting.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% Ctn	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Rim	CA	STF	253,332	811	80	9/20	3,140	-208	75	163	12	111	96.2M	FS
* Angora	CA	SQF	100	---	5	UNK	110	---	4	0	4	0	100K	FS

**Northern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 23  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 3  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

**Corral Complex**, Six Rivers NF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Pincha-Tulley) back to the local unit will occur on 9/12. Ten miles east of Hoopa, CA. Timber and brush. Interior smoldering. Area closures in effect.

**Forks Complex**, Klamath NF. One mile east of Sawyers Bar, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching. Structures threatened.

\* **Morgan**, Santa Clara Unit, Cal Fire. Four miles southeast of Clayton, CA. Chaparral. Active fire behavior with short runs and short-range spotting. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% Ctn	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Corral Complex	CA	SRF	12,295	0	79	9/11	648	-104	15	11	4	0	32.5M	FS
Forks Complex	CA	KNF	36,078	93	66	9/15	262	50	6	11	4	0	54.2M	FS
* Morgan	CA	SCU	350	---	10	UNK	390	---	9	40	3	0	50K	ST

### Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires: 7  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Kelley**, Sawtooth NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Dunford) back to the local unit will occur tomorrow. Seven miles southeast of Featherville, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Interior creeping and smoldering with occasional single tree torching. Structures threatened.

**Weiser Complex**, Payette NF. Started on BLM land 20 miles west of Midvale, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Area closures in effect.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% Ctn	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Kelley	ID	STF	17,346	257	97	UNK	342	-45	9	6	3	0	8.4M	FS
Weiser Complex	ID	PAF	29,456	0	90	9/13	157	-201	5	4	4	3	7.7M	BLM

### Northern Rockies Area (PL 3)

New fires: 13  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 4

**Mount Two Top**, Gallatin NF. Eight miles southwest of West Yellowstone, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering. Structures and power lines threatened.

**Miner Paradise Complex** (three fires), Gallatin NF. Nineteen miles southwest of Livingston, MT. Timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Road and area closures in effect.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% Ctn	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Mount Two Top	MT	GNF	148	0	90	9/15	100	-41	2	0	1	0	2.2M	FS
Miner Paradise Complex	MT	GNF	11,977	0	75	10/15	69	-70	0	0	3	0	8.9M	FS

## Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 2  
New large fires: 2  
Uncontained large fires: 2

\* **6294**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land four miles east of Tyler, TX. Timber. Active fire behavior with crowning. Residences threatened.

\* **Rough Branch**, Ouachita NF. Fifteen miles north of Broken Bow, OK. Hardwood Litter. Moderate fire behavior with single tree torching.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% Ctn	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* 6294	TX	TXS	350	---	80	9/9	8	---	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
* Rough Branch	AR	OUF	120	---	0	UNK	10	---	0	1	0	0	5K	FS
Leonard	LA	SBR	6,384	0	100	---	10	0	0	1	1	0	50K	FWS

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## Other fires

(As of September 6)

GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AK	5	109,470	0	0	0	0
NW	16	68,286	13	17	4	409
NO	0	0	0	0	0	0
SO	1	22,942	1	1	0	23
NR	42	88,097	4	8	7	183
EB	17	50,283	6	2	3	171
WB	0	0	0	0	0	0
SW	3	511	22	1	0	272
RM	7	26,640	2	6	2	119
EA	1	188	0	0	0	0
SA	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	92	366,417	48	35	16	1,177

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Scattered thunderstorms will develop across southern California and the Four Corners states, mainly over Arizona. Showers and a few thunderstorms will move through the Great Lakes region. Scattered thunderstorms will develop along the Gulf Coast. Temperatures will begin to warm over the West, with mild to cool conditions remaining over the Rockies. Very warm weather will continue in the central and southern Plains and the Mississippi Valley, while cool conditions remain over the Great Lakes and New England.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



# INSTRUCTIONS AND ASSIGNMENTS NOT CLEAR

*Fireline Safety Category*

Every firefighter will be giving and receive briefings at some point on the job. Briefings are an effective way to disseminate information that can make the firefighter's job safer and easier. When giving a briefing, it is important to keep the following questions in mind and remain perceptive to how the audience is receiving the information:

- Did you use the National Incident Response Pocket Guide standards briefing checklist?
- Did they ask questions? Talk about what it is like giving a briefing. Do you get empty stares? What feedback are you looking for to ensure they understand you?
- Did they take notes? What kind of information would you like to see people write down?
- Did they repeat information back? What other ways can you identify that your briefing is registering?
- Did you give all the necessary information? How will you ensure that you covered everything necessary?
  - Task
  - Location
  - Communications
  - Hazards
  - Who, when, etc.
- It is also important for the firefighter who is receiving instructions to be mindful of the following during the briefing:
  - Did you really listen? What do you do to make yourself pay attention to everything being said?
  - Did you understand the assignment, location, and the nature and location of hazards? Do you expect to figure it out for yourself when you get out there or do you step forward and ask questions?
- You must know the location of the assignment and:
  - What is to be done?
  - Who you are to report to and how often to report.
  - When you are expected to complete the assignment.
  - Hazards.
  - Communication plan frequencies.
  - Weather and fire behavior.
  - Status of adjoining forces.

**References:**

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

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### Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	2	1			2	4	9
	ACRES	0	0			1	0	1
Northern California	FIRES					18	5	23
	ACRES					65	6,315	6,380
Southern California	FIRES					14	8	22
	ACRES					5	352	357
Northern Rockies	FIRES					3	10	13
	ACRES					0	2	2
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		3			1	3	7
	ACRES		16			3	258	277
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		4			1	3	8
	ACRES		10			20	0	30
Eastern Area	FIRES					1	1	2
	ACRES					10	0	10
Southern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						83	83
TOTAL	FIRES	2	9	0	0	40	36	87
	ACRES	0	26	0	0	104	7,010	7,140

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	43	37	28	483	9	601
	ACRES	465	408,261	108,250	169,043	631,696	1	1,317,716
Northwest	FIRES	164	322	54	45	1,099	1,251	2,935
	ACRES	53,511	136,777	794	247	27,589	14,826	233,744
Northern California	FIRES	132	37	1	18	2,879	763	3,830
	ACRES	129	633	48	6	31,907	89,273	121,996
Southern California	FIRES	29	125	26	46	2,954	506	3,686
	ACRES	339	2,937	242	69,431	53,743	263,743	390,435
Northern Rockies	FIRES	581	80	6	18	859	994	2,538
	ACRES	7,847	775	1,038	11,601	17,268	137,135	175,664
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	65	704	1	39	619	612	2,040
	ACRES	314	306,875	0	250	40,148	429,475	777,062
Western Great Basin	FIRES	9	442	6	9	76	126	668
	ACRES	24,470	106,046	1	3	10,301	46,597	187,418
Southwest	FIRES	534	198	31	85	573	1,089	2,510
	ACRES	47,393	6,852	3,335	1,808	45,317	211,099	315,804
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	639	472	14	30	719	469	2,343
	ACRES	866	8,447	601	1,072	38,766	180,637	230,389
Eastern Area	FIRES	335		39	27	4,936	181	5,518
	ACRES	7,205		996	87	33,494	1,330	43,112
Southern Area	FIRES	163		80	17	8,830	348	9,438
	ACRES	11,390		13,475	1,445	90,491	11,271	128,072
TOTAL	FIRES	2,652	2,423	295	362	24,027	6,348	36,107
	ACRES	153,929	977,603	128,780	254,993	1,020,720	1,385,387	3,921,412

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>57,390</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>6,360,830</b>

\*\*\* Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. \*\*\*

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						45	45
Southern Area	FIRES					7		7
	ACRES					210		210
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	7	3	10
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	210	45	255

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1	2	13		16
	ACRES			5	22	5,150		5,177
Northwest	FIRES	7	33	8	3		118	169
	ACRES	2,066	8,857	485	67		28,812	40,287
Northern California	FIRES	2	12	16	21		126	177
	ACRES	35	780	15,998	254		5,472	22,539
Southern California	FIRES		5	5	4	1	141	156
	ACRES		38	603	298	120	4,875	5,934
Northern Rockies	FIRES	20	13	24	2	93	149	301
	ACRES	1,927	2,904	6,747	156	1,004	9,742	22,480
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	4	18	1	5	21	50	99
	ACRES	696	1,354	1	693	1,357	14,110	18,211
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	1		12	7	23
	ACRES		24	35		103	300	462
Southwest	FIRES	18	23	5	1		83	130
	ACRES	19,320	11,826	1,372	10		18,787	51,315
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	12	37	33	10	32	94	218
	ACRES	1,691	3,317	3,956	616	5,090	24,916	39,586
Eastern Area	FIRES	22		249	52	778	163	1,264
	ACRES	23,169		31,521	4,790	31,535	15,772	106,787
Southern Area	FIRES	54		108	11	11,059	903	12,135
	ACRES	15,157		47,720	5,872	580,477	855,329	1,504,555
TOTAL	FIRES	139	144	451	111	12,009	1,834	14,688
	ACRES	64,061	29,100	108,443	12,778	624,836	978,115	1,817,333

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Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>.

## Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	0	0	1,734	12,091
Yukon Territory	0	0	174	238,790
Alberta	0	0	1,118	21,843
Northwest Territory	0	0	242	517,277
Saskatchewan	0	0	390	307,146
Manitoba	0	0	431	684,860
Ontario	0	0	548	43,376
Quebec	0	0	483	1,715,372
Newfoundland	0	0	99	30,489
New Brunswick	0	0	352	872
Nova Scotia	0	0	169	303
Prince Edward Island	0	0	9	55
National Parks	0	0	80	77,487
Total	0	0	5,829	3,649,962

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